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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (DFAS-PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, regarding Personal Money

Allowance Payable to Senior Enlisted Members of the Armed Forces

(DFAS Item #J-54)

Attached is a interim change <u>20-01</u> to Chapter 31 of the DoD FMR, Vol. 7A. This change implements the new entitlement to Personal Money Allowance payable to Senior Enlisted Members of the Armed Forces effective October 1, 2000.

We have evaluated your comments on the proposed change and included your comments where appropriate. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate procedural modifications to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

Jerry S. Hinton Director for Finance

Attachment: As stated

cc: OUSD(C)(ODCFO)(FP)

DASD(MPP)(Comp)

ODGC(F)

Service Liaisons

USCG/NOAA/PHS Liaisons

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1. Replace current Chapter 31 and its bibliography with the attached. Changes to this chapter are reflected in blue italics.

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR CHANGES TO CHAPTER 31 DOD 7000.14R, Volume 7A MILITARY PAY POLICY AND PROCEDURES ACTIVE DUTY AND RESERVE PAY

New and revised instructions are indicated by a *placed immediately before the new or revised section, paragraph, subparagraph, decision logic table etc.

Page	Paragraph	Explanation of Change/Revision	Effective Date
		IC 20-01 is a complete Chapter rewrite.	October 1, 2000
		Changes are reflected in blue italics.	

CHAPTER 31

PERSONAL MONEY ALLOWANCE

3101 ENTITLEMENT

- 310101. Officers. Officers in the capacities listed below who are entitled to receive basic pay are also entitled to receive a personal money allowance. This allowance is in addition to any other pay or allowance authorized. The allowance is payable while the officer is serving in the grade of lieutenant general, vice admiral or above. When entitlement to the allowance is based on a specific duty assignment indicated in paragraphs 310101.C or 310101.D below, it does not accrue before the date member starts, or after the date member is released from such duty assignment.
- A. <u>Lieutenant General or Vice Admiral</u>. While serving in the grade of, lieutenant general or vice admiral--\$500 per year
- B. <u>General or Admiral</u>. While serving in the grade of general or admiral-\$2200 per year.
- C. <u>Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and Chiefs of Services.</u>
 While serving as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Chief of Staff of the Army or Air Force; Chief of Naval Operations; or Commandant of the Marine Corps, in place of any other personal money allowance authorized in this chapter--\$4000 per year.
- D. Senior Member of the Military Staff Committee of the United Nations. While serving as a senior member of the Military Staff Committee of the United Nations and entitled to the grade, pay and allowances of a lieutenant general or vice admiral--\$2700 per year (\$2200 plus \$500 authorized in paragraph 310101, above).
- * 310102. <u>Enlisted Members.</u> An enlisted member, serving as the senior enlisted member of his or her Military Service, who is entitled to receive basic pay is also entitled to receive a personal money allowance. This allowance is in addition to any other pay or allowance authorized. The allowance is payable while the enlisted member is serving as the Sergeant Major of the Army, the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy, the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force, the Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps, or the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Coast Guard. This allowance is based on a specific duty assignment and it does not accrue before the date member starts, or after the date member is released from such duty assignment.

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A. Sergeant Major of the Army. While serving in this capacity, the yearly amount payable is \$2,000.

- B. <u>Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy</u>. While serving in this capacity, the yearly amount payable is \$2,000.
- C. <u>Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force</u>. While serving in this capacity, the yearly amount payable is \$2,000.
- D. <u>Sergeant Maior of the Marine Corps.</u> While serving in this capacity, the yearly amount payable is \$2,000.
- E. <u>Master Chief Petty Officer of the Coast Guard.</u> While serving in this capacity, the yearly amount payable is \$2,000. (IC 20-01)

3102 MONTHLY AMOUNTS PAYABLE

The personal money allowance is payable at the following monthly rates:

Rank/Position	Monthly Rates
Chairman or Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of	of Staff
or Chief of Staff	\$333.33
Senior Member of the Military Staff Committee	of the
United Nations	\$225.00
General or Admiral	\$183 33
Lieutenant General or Vice Admiral	\$ 41.67
* Sergeant Major of the Army	\$166.67
Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy	\$166.67
Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force	\$166.67
Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps	\$166.67
Master Chief Petty Officer of the Coast Guard	\$166.67 (IC 20-01)

3103 TAXABILITY AND WITHHOLDING TAX

Personal money allowance is subject to federal and state income tax and withholding.

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Chapter 31 — Personal Money Allowance	
3101 — Entitlement	

310101	37 U.S.C. 413-414
	Public Law 482, section 4
	December 14, 1944
	(58 Stat. 803)
	as amended by
	Public Law 89-501,
	section 302
310102	Public Law 106-398,
	section 609
	October 30, 2000
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3103 — Taxability and Withholding Tax Treas. Reg. 1.62-2 Treas. Reg. 31.3401(a) 31 CFR 215-8